

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY!

OXFORD TAILORING COMPANY

102 E. Arrow Street, Marshall, Mo.

We wish to announce to the people of Saline County that the immense patronage we have received since opening our store here has demonstrated to us that the prices and quality of our made-to-order clothes, together with the large assortment of patterns in worsteds and cassimeres, have been appreciated. We have, consequently, just leased for another year our present quarters, and have engaged the services of Mr. Frank Geis, who has been in the Merchant Tailoring business in Marshall a number of years, to be our permanent local manager.

In celebration of this connection we will, until January 1st, make to order any suit or overcoat of our \$35.00 quality for \$24.00; our \$27.50 quality for \$22.50; our \$20.00 quality for \$17.50. Fit guaranteed to be perfect and up-to-date, and workmanship the best.

Either a suit or overcoat will make an appropriate and useful Christmas present for any of your family.

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COUNTY NEWS

MALTA BEND

Mrs. J. C. Barrow entertained her brother Mr. Jordan and family of Gilliam over Sunday.

Percy Houston came over from Marshall Saturday returning Monday morning, accompanied by his sister Miss Irene who spent the day there.

Mrs. Hiltson left last Monday for Hickory county, for a visit with her parents there.

C. N. Schooley and Fred Anderson were county seat visitors Monday.

S. P. Houston, who has been sick for some time is reported better. Among those who were transacting business at the county seat Monday were Frank Stockman, Sr., Mr. Mitchner, Frank McRoberts and Mr. Enyard.

Mrs. James Baker who has been visiting relatives at Manhattan, Kansas for some time returned to Malta Bend Tuesday morning.

We are very sorry to say that Mrs. J. C. Barrow has been quite sick all week. We hope she will soon recover.

Miss Elsie Tobin was a Marshall visitor Wednesday.

Miss Clara Stockman was visiting friends in Grand Pass last week.

Miss Maud Blosser visited with H. I. Blosser and family last Monday and Tuesday.

The meeting at the First M. E. church conducted by J. M. Beades, the Evangelist is still in progress and much interest taken everyone welcomed.

Miss Hains of Slater, is visiting her sister Mrs. R. C. Potter.

Miss Maurine Gaudin spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks at Stanhope.

Mrs. Jas. Waller and daughter, Alice, spent several days in Marshall last week.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Walker Morton is on the sick list this week. We hope she may soon recover.

Woman's Nature.

It's just like a woman to forgive a man who doesn't deserve it.—Chicago News.

GILLIAM

Auton and Otto Bohlken of New Frankfort went to Okmulgee, Okla. Saturday to look after some business matters relating to their brother, John, who died there three weeks ago of pneumonia. John had established a large and prosperous boiler works there and Otto expects to assist his widow in looking after it for awhile.

Dr. John R. Hall was down from Marshall Saturday to see Mrs. J. R. Kirk, who has been very poorly of late.

Editor Williams is back with another printing outfit which he is getting in shape to sell or trade.

H. G. Cross, wife and son were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cross Sunday.

Frank Davis was in Gilliam last Friday.

Seven hundred rabbits were marketed in Gilliam Saturday.

Jess Cross, a former forman at this place is foreman on the Southern near Independence.

Dr. Ford and wife have been looking after their farm interest this week.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Sold by Druggists, price 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

J. A. Peck went to Norton Saturday and joined Rev. B. H. Steele in a rabbit hunt. He came home that evening with all he could carry, showing that rabbits must be getting very tame.

BLACKBURN

Dr. T. A. Heyssel has moved back to Jamestown.

J. S. Hitt has been quite sick. Miss Bertha Douglas of Kansas City is visiting Miss Cora Cable at present.

Miss Nellie Post returned from St. Louis last Tuesday to spend the winter with her grandmother Mrs. Blackford.

Mrs. Taylor Entekin sprained her arm last week.

Mrs. G. A. Richart went to Kansas City Thursday.

Miss Margaret Taylor went to Slater to spend a couple of weeks.

The Correct Time

to stop a cough or cold is just as soon as it starts—then there will be no danger of pneumonia or consumption. Just a few doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup taken at the start will stop the cough. If it has been running on for some time the treatment will be longer, but the cure is sure. Sold by P. H. Franklin.

NORTH WOODSON

Ye correspondent was caught out in last Monday's snow storm and didn't get to send in items last week.

Mrs. George Fortner and little daughter visited Mrs. Jim Taylor Saturday.

Jim Taylor and Orville Crump made a business trip to town last Thursday.

Orville Crump and wife went to Lamonte last Thursday to visit the former's cousin, F. P. Younger and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Pannell was the guest of Mrs. Grace Crump Saturday.

We understand Lee Pannell has bought his father's place and will move there in the future.

Ernest Solomon has rented Mr. Fields place and is moving.

Hog killing is the order of the day.

Mrs. Grace Crump is visiting her parents Mr. A. R. Shanks at present.

Glenwood school will have a Christmas tree for the little folks next Friday.

Could Not be Better.

No one has ever made a salve, ointment, lotion or balm to compare with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Salt Rheum, For Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Chapped Hands its supreme. Infallible for Piles. Only 25c at P. H. Franklin's.

Mastler-White.

Mrs. Ida White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cunningham of Blue Lick was married Sunday at 12 o'clock at the home of her parents to Mr. Troy Mastler, of Philo, Ill. Rev. H. J. Steinheimer officiating. The wedding was a very quiet one. A sumptuous dinner was served after the ceremony.

The bride is one of Blue Lick's splendid young ladies while the groom is a prominent young farmer. They have not decided positively where they will locate and the groom is prospecting around some and we hope he will remain in Saline. Mr. Mastler showed good taste in coming to Missouri for a wife. Rev. Steinheimer was feeling so good on his return that it is hard to tell whether he met Old Santa or got a big lee.

LOCAL ITEMS.

W. E. Vawter is in off the road to spend the holidays at home.

Mrs. Jno. Blackburn and Clarence Blackburn were here from Blosser Monday.

The Episcopal ladies took in \$80 at their Christmas Bazar at O. W. Johnston's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kapp of Malta Bend were hunting Santa headquarters here Monday.

Miss Rebecca Bulkley, of Higginville, was the guest last week of Miss M. A. Clough south of town.

Mrs. Lucy A. Evans and daughter Miss Rhoda, have gone to Sherman, Texas, to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Keller Saturday moved into their elegant new residence on the corner of Brunswick and Eastwood.

Concordia is holding a big corn and poultry show. It began yesterday and continues to Saturday evening.

W. B. Wilhelm and family have moved back to Marshall from Blackwell, Okla., and are residing in Highland addition.

John L. Winning, of Warrensburg spent several days this week with his uncle, John Winning, and sister, Mrs. Maud Allen, in Marshall.

Miss Margaret Morgan, a former Marshall young lady but for three years past at Canyon City, Texas, was married on Dec. 1st to a Mr. Watts of that city.

Jonas Verts, the Nelson miller, had the misfortune of breaking both bones in his wrist by getting his arm under a running belt at the mill last Thursday.

G. W. Walker, of near Houstonia, Saturday brought in his son, Jesse, who boarded the train her for Chillicothe to attend the Chillicothe Commercial College.

R. P. White Monday bought Lester Lindsey's residence in north Marshall for \$700 possession next month. Mr. White conducts a blacksmith shop in Slater.

Clenny Steele, of Norton, who fell down stairs and received some bad bruises while at school at Clarence, Mo., six weeks ago, visited at Geo. Trout's near Gilliam the past week. He expects to be able to return to school after Christmas.

Marshall has made substantial progress the past year. The poor farm buildings are about completed. Bagnell & Montague's big building was erected. Bidstrup & Hammond put up a new building. Paris Walker has a building under way and a good many new residences have been built.

While the average Missouri farmer is a little slow about taking up any new methods in feeding and handling live stock, still in the past few years a great many Missouri farmers have been feeding more or less mixed feeds and have found that it pays. Charles Winslow of Marshall, Mo., one of the representative Saline county farmers, says that a great many farmers in that part of the state are feeding cottonseed cake and meal

to their cattle. "That has always been a great cattle feeding point" remarked Mr. Winslow. "And it might be said that a considerable number of cattle are on feed now, although the number is reduced from former years. Farmers are studying the mixed feed problem and are adopting it quite generally. So far as I am able to see and judge, it seems to me that farmers can well afford to undertake feeding. Corn is no higher down there with us than it was a year ago, and there is plenty of rough feed. But right now hogs are the whole thing, or nearly so. There are none for sale except the marketable sized hogs. We have no hog cholera, or any other hog diseases to reduce the number, and still there is a great shortage of hogs all over the community. It is very safe to say, therefore, that hogs will be a big factor this winter in cattle feeding and that every farmer who has a carload of good shoats will be certain to receive a very high price for them when he gets them ready for market. Hog prices are dead certain to keep up, and perhaps make some new high records in prices before another year rolls around."—Drovers' Telegram.

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It is the best medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter.

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Real Estate Salesman

The following sales are only part of the sales made by the above named agent during the month of November, 1909, except No. 5, made in December. The first three sales are the same farm, that sold readily for a profit:

- No. 1.—Owen E. Sweeney, farm, 120 acres in sec. 25, twp. 50, range 21, sold to E. W. Brown, for \$13,400.00.
- No. 2.—E. W. Brown, same to L. J. Rasse, for \$14,100.00.
- No. 3.—L. J. Rasse, same to Casper Solomon, for \$15,000.00.
- No. 4.—F. M. Lail farm, 160 acres, in sec. 23, twp. 50, range 21, sold to Geo. J. Christman for \$25,000.00.
- No. 5.—Mike Jacoby jr., residence with eight acres, East Marshall to Stephen Walters \$4,250.00.

Don't delay buying, for land is gradually advancing. Don't fail to list or buy real estate from the above named agent. Also furnish you good loans and loan you money at lowest rate of interest. Office near post office.

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